

of Appeals to require disclosure by judges of the State courts, ~~[[authorizing]]~~ directing the political subdivisions to enact public financial disclosure requirements for certain officials, authorizing the Governor to extend by Executive Order certain disclosure requirements to certain appointed persons, and relating generally to public financial disclosure.

BY repealing

Article 33 - Election Code
Section 28-1 through 28-5
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1971 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement,
as added by Chapter 894 of the Acts of 1973)

BY adding to

Article 33 - Election Code
Section 29-1 through ~~[[29-10]]~~ 29-11
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1971 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Sections 28-1 to 28-5, inclusive, of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement, as added by Chapter 894 of the Acts of 1973), title "Election Code," subtitle "Financial Disclosure Act," be and they are hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That new Sections ~~[[28-1 to 28-10]]~~ 29-1 to 29-11, inclusive, be and they are hereby added to Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1972 Supplement), title "Election Code," subtitle "Financial Disclosure Act," to read as follows:

~~[[28-1]]~~ 29-1. DECLARATION OF PURPOSE.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, RECOGNIZING THAT OUR SYSTEM OF REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT IS DEPENDENT IN PART UPON THE PEOPLE MAINTAINING THE HIGHEST TRUST IN THEIR PUBLIC OFFICERS, FINDS AND DECLARES THAT THE PEOPLE HAVE A RIGHT TO BE ASSURED THAT THE FINANCIAL INTERESTS OF HOLDERS OF AND CANDIDATES FOR PUBLIC